

FIREMEN HAMPERED BY CROWD AT AUTO BLAZE

Automobiles of Thomas Yeager and T. H. Truworthy, both of 5510 Fourteenth street northwest, were almost

destroyed yesterday afternoon by fire, resulting from the backfiring of an engine in the garage in the rear of 1313-15 Quincey street northwest, when one of the owners attempted to "tune up" the engine. The blaze was caused by the explosion of the gasoline tank. It drew a large crowd, and as a result

the firemen experienced some difficulty in extinguishing the blaze immediately.

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HAPPENINGS IN SOCIETY

Jusserands Entertain for French Mission—News of the Diplomats—Weddings and Engagements

THE FRENCH AMBASSADOR AND MME. JUSSERAND were hosts at luncheon at the embassy yesterday, entertaining in honor of General Comille, who is at the head of a French mission to study polytechnics in this country, and the members of his staff.

Those who were with General Comille are M. Roume, M. and Mme. Bricca, M. Gaute, M. Lafarge, M. and Mme. Richard Beranger, M. and Mme. Henry, M. and Mme. Gattine, Lieutenant Foulle, M. Combel, M. Zedel, M. Vigue, Cadet de Corze, Cadet Bary, Cadet Ailleret, Cadet Soliva, Cadet Ziegel, and M. Minier.

The party reached Washington on Saturday, and last evening General Comille and the men of the commission went to Old Point Comfort to remain until tomorrow. On their return they will join the other members of the party at the Shoreham.

The Secretary of the Interior and Mrs. Lane spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Louis Hertle at Gunston Hall. Mr. and Mrs. William Storey were also guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hertle yesterday, motoring down from Washington for luncheon.

Miss Nancy Lane, who started home from California on Saturday, is expected in Washington on Thursday.

Mme. Groultch To Return. Mme. Groultch, wife of the minister of the Serbs, Croates, and Slovenes, who went to Kalamazoo, Mich., to address a meeting of the Michigan D. A. R. and spent the week in Buffalo, N. Y. with Lord and Lady Swaythling, will return to Washington the middle of this week. Lord and Lady Swaythling will visit Dr. and Mme. Groultch here, arriving in time for the Serbian fete, which will be held on October 23 and 24, for the benefit of Mme. Groultch's Serbian children's aid.

The minister of Switzerland and Mme. Sulzer will return today from a short visit in New York.

Mrs. Ira Nelson Morris, wife of the United States minister to Sweden, accompanied by Mrs. S. R. Guggenheim, of New York, is at the Shoreham for a week.

Both Gen. Emilio Guglielmotti, military attaché of the Italian embassy, and the naval attaché, Rear Admiral Count Max Lovatelli, have been detached from duty in Washington and will leave shortly for Italy. Their successors have not yet been appointed, but are expected in Washington within the month.

Carl Vrooman, former Secretary of Agriculture, is at the Cosmos Club to remain until Mrs. Vrooman returns from England, after which they expect to take a house in Washington.

MRS. CHARLES WARREN. Who has joined Mr. Warren in Washington after passing the early autumn at Dedham, Mass.

Ushers Dine Bridal Pair.

The ushers who will attend Miss Adelaide Bell Heath and Capt. Arthur Haldane Doig, U. S. A., on their marriage on Wednesday, will give a dinner for them tonight at the Army and Navy Club and tomorrow evening, following the rehearsal, Mrs. James Marion Johnston will entertain the bride and groom at dinner. Mrs. Johnston's daughter, Miss Eleanor Johnston, will be one of Miss Heath's bridesmaids.

The wedding will take place at noon on Wednesday in Epiphany Church.

Mrs. John Cameron Hawkins is visiting her parents, Senator and Mrs. Robert L. Owen, at their apartment in the Alhambra. Mr. Hawkins, who has been in business in New York has gone South to make his home and Mrs. Hawkins will join him there shortly.

Lieutenant Colonel and Mrs. Frederick Huldekooper have returned from their summer home at York Harbor, Me., and have opened their residence, 1614 Eighteenth street, for the season. Colonel Huldekooper's brother-in-law and sister, Lieutenant Colonel and Mrs. Reginald Huldekooper, are also at the Shoreham since Saturday, after having been absent for two years. Colonel Reginald Huldekooper was for a long time on duty at general headquarters at Chesham, and Colonel Frederick, Huldekooper, was adjutant general of the Third, third division, the only division of the British, French and American allies.

Miss Mildred Bromwell, who, with her mother, Mrs. Charles S. Bromwell, has been at the Shoreham since Saturday, will start tonight for Hot Springs, Va., for a week's visit to Miss Olive Graef. Mrs. Bromwell will probably go to Atlantic City for a brief stay, but will open her Washington residence for the season within the next week.

Mrs. Bromwell and Miss Bromwell have been with the former's mother, Mrs. Matthew T. Scott, at Charlevoix, Mich., for the summer. Mrs. Scott is expected in Washington in a fortnight.

Mrs. Raymond T. Baker, wife of the director of the mint, has gone from Lenox, Mass., to Newport to visit Mrs. Vanderbilt.

Mrs. George F. Huff, of Washington, has arrived at the Greenbrier, White Sulphur Springs, W. Va., from Cabin Hill, her country home at Greensburg, Pa. She is accompanied by the Misses S. M. and Ellen Carpenter.

Miss Mildred Sisson, of New York, is visiting Miss Abigail Harvey.

Miss Joan Howie Duffell and Major George Duffell, Jr., who will be married tomorrow, were the guests of honor at supper last evening of Miss Elizabeth Koonce, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles K. Koonce. Covers were laid for twelve.

Return From North Shore.

Mr. and Mrs. Langdon E. Mitchell, with their daughters, Miss Valentine Mitchell and Miss Helena Mary Langdon Mitchell, have returned to their residence on Nineteenth street after spending the greater part of the summer on the north shore. Miss Helena Mitchell, who has been mentioned as one of the prospective debutantes, will not be presented until next winter, when she will make her debut in Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. Peyton Russell have returned to Washington from their summer home at Watch Hill, R. I.

Mrs. Lewis Hayes Watkins has gone to New York on Wednesday for a week's visit to her mother, Mrs. George Bliss.

Col. and Mrs. William Cary Sanger, of Hangerfield, have rented the house 224 R street, and are now there with their daughter, Miss Mary Sanger.

Colonel Sanger was Assistant Secretary of War under Presidents Roosevelt and McKinley and succeeded Henry White as manager of the Potomac division of the Red Cross. Their son, William Cary Sanger, Jr., who was in the front line trenches when the armistice was signed, will be with them occasionally, but will spend most of the winter in New York.

Visits Seashore.

Mrs. Julian James is at the Hotel Ambassador, Atlantic City, for an autumn visit.

Announcement has been made of the marriage of Miss Caroline Platt Jenkins, daughter of Mrs. Thomas Canfield Jenkins, of Maryland, and Roger Lowell Putnam, of Boston, which took place in Washington Thursday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Egerton Smoot, in Wyoming avenue. The ceremony was performed in the presence of the relatives and a few intimate friends and was followed by a small reception. The arrangements for the ceremony and the reception which followed were carried out along the lines of an old fashioned Southern wedding and only a small company of relatives and

intimate friends were present. The house was charmingly decorated in a profusion of white flowers and ferns, and the bridal party stood before a bank of ferns and white dahlias. A stringed orchestra played the wedding music, and all through the reception. A charming Southern feature was introduced just before the supper when the orchestra stopped playing and the strains of "My Old Kentucky Home" were sung by a quartette of colored singers under the window of the drawing room.

The bride wore a lovely costume of white satin with trimmings of pearls and rare old lace which had been worn by her great-grandmother. The maid of honor, Miss Nellie Jenkins, sister of the bride, was in old-fashioned pale green organdie and carried pink rosebuds, and the little flower girl, young daughter of Captain Lackey, wore white organdie and carried a basket of pink rosebuds. Augustus Putnam, younger brother of the bridegroom, was his best man. After the supper Mr. and Mrs. Putnam left for a motor trip for Springfield, Mass., where they will make their home.

Interesting Wedding.

A wedding of unusual interest in Washington was that of Miss Elizabeth Mearns Macarney, daughter of John W. Macarney, and Norria Windrim McLean, which took place Saturday, October 4, at Christ Episcopal Church, Bronxville, N. Y. The ceremony was performed at 5 o'clock, and a small reception followed at the Hotel Gramatan, at Bronxville. The wedding was very quiet on account of mourning in the family. The bride wore a beautiful gown of white satin draped with tulle, and her long tulle veil was held with a coronet of orange blossoms. She carried a shower bouquet of bouvardia.

Miss Kate K. Macarney attended her sister as maid of honor, and her gown was a charming model of ivory-tinted brocade satin, with a white velvet hat, and her bouquet was of gardenias and bouvardia.

Wallace McLean was his brother's best man, and the ushers were James W. Macarney, brother of the bride; Carroll Dawson, both formerly of this city; Victor di Zerega, of New York, and Frederick Gibbs, of this city. The bride is well known in Washington, where her family made their home until a few years ago, and where they were prominently identified with social life.

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